## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE NASHVILLE DIVISION

JAMES RODNEY GEORGE,	
Plaintiff,	Case No. 3:16-1750
<b>v.</b>	) ) Judge Campbell
THE GUARDIAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA (a/k/a GUARDIAN), and	) Magistrate Judge Holmes )
BERKSHIRE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA,	) ) )
Defendants.	) )

# STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL OF CLAIMS AGAINST THE GUARDIAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA (A/K/A GUARDIAN)

As evidenced by the signatures below, Plaintiff James Rodney George, through counsel, and Defendants, The Guardian Life Insurance Company of America ("Guardian") and Berkshire Life Insurance Company of America ("Berkshire"), hereby stipulate and agree to dismissal of all claims against Guardian without prejudice. Defendants have represented to Plaintiff that the insurance policy at issue was underwritten solely by Berkshire, a Guardian subsidiary. Should discovery reveal that Guardian is a proper party, Plaintiff may move to amend his complaint to refile his claims against Guardian.

Therefore, at this time, the parties are in agreement that all claims against Guardian shall be dismissed without prejudice.

Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been served via the Court's CM/ECF electronic filing system, on this the <u>9th day of September, 2016</u> on the following:

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